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Election of 11 members of the Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund

Note by the Secretary-General

1. The Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund has 36 members, elected with due regard to equitable geographical representation and other relevant factors, with a view to ensuring the most effective and broadest representation.

2. In accordance with General Assembly resolution 48/162, the Economic and Social Council is to elect, at its resumed organizational session for 2010, 11 members of the Executive Board from among States Members of the United Nations or members of the specialized agencies or of the International Atomic Energy Agency, for a three-year term beginning on 1 January 2011, to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 2010 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Azerbaijan, Canada, Colombia, Finland, Haiti, Lao People's Democratic Republic, Republic of Korea, Slovakia, Switzerland, United Republic of Tanzania and United States of America.

3. The 11 members are to be elected according to the following pattern:

(a) One member from African States;

(b) Two members from Asian States;

(c) Two members from Eastern European States;

(d) Two members from Latin American and Caribbean States;

(e) Four members from Western European and other States.

4. The membership of the Executive Board in 2010 is listed in the annex to the present note.

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Annex

Executive Board of the United Nations Development Programme/United Nations Population Fund

(36 members; three-year term)

Membership in 2010

Eight members from African States

Burkina Faso (2012), Cameroon (2012), Democratic Republic of the Congo (2012), Mauritania (2011), Rwanda (2012), Sierra Leone (2011), South Africa (2012), United Republic of Tanzania* (2010)

Seven members from Asian States

India (2012), Iran (Islamic Republic of) (2011), Lao People's Democratic Republic* (2010), Pakistan (2012), Qatar (2012), Republic of Korea* (2010), Yemen (2011)

Four members from Eastern European States

Azerbaijan* (2010), Russian Federation (2011), Slovakia* (2010), Slovenia (2012)

Five members from Latin American and Caribbean States

Antigua and Barbuda (2012), Colombia* (2010), Cuba (2011), Haiti* (2010), Mexico (2011)

Twelve members from Western European and other States

Austria (2011), Belgium (2011), Canada* (2010), Finland* (2010), France (2012), Japan (2012), Netherlands (2012), Spain (2012), Sweden (2011), Switzerland* (2010), United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland (2011), United States of America* (2010)

* Returning member.